THE CONDITION OF TRADE.

No Material Change In the Financial Situation.

BANKS REPORT ACTIVE DEMAND

And Rates May Fairly Be Called Stiff-Jobbers Do Not Report Trade as Active-Flour Lower.

The Local Resume.

The financial situation is not materially changed since last week. Bankers report an active demand for all available funds and rates may fairly be called stiff. Regular customers in good standing have been taken care of without trouble, but the speculative interest has been neglected. Collections on city jobbers through banks have been satisfactorily met, and collections on city retailers by local jobbers are reported easier than was expected to be the case a month ago. A number of weak brothers have been nursed into good condition or closed out, and, barring the dishouest element, city trade proper is in very fair condition, when it is considered that the mild weather has left the bulk of the stocks of winter goods on hand. Jobbers do not report trade as active but say there is a fair movement in staples and that prices are steady. Sugar is doing well for the season and quotations were stiffer tow-ards the last of the week. Rio coffee is un-changed, while Jaya and Mocha are caster. Dried fruits, and especially apples, are lower, with a demoralized market. Canned corn and tomatoes are no higher. Cheese is steady and fish is in better demand as lent approaches. The dry goods trade is unusually depressed, and the demand is confined to absolute needs. Hardware and lumber are showing fair activity and the season has been more than usually prosperous for dealers in these lines. Coal is, of course, unfavorably affected by the fine weather and dealers will carry into the spring mouths more than they care to. The decline in wheat has caused some movement in flour at lower prices. Cattle are lower and procure a loss to shippers while hogs are paying good profits. The prices of butter and eggs in this market have been lower the past month than for years and commission men mail account sales and remit proceeds to disgruntled shippers, but as the situation is the same all over the country, there is nothing to do but accept the inevitable, at the same time it should be noted in this connection that there are commission men here and elsewhere who do not besitate to quote above the market in hopes of securing shipments, and thereby the situation is greatly aggravated. Honest prices current, quoted by dealers in towns and cities adjacent to and in competition with Omaha, show that as good figures are obtained here as anywhere, that nothing is gained by paying more freight to distant points. It is believed, or at least hoped, that the worst effects of the unseasonable weather are over and that business will be better from now on.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Saturday, Feb. 2, 1889. With only seventeen fresh loads and no holdovers to speak of, it was impossible to have much of a market. However, the buyers bought up everything offered, paying stronger prices than yesterday.

Hogs.

The trade was fairly active at prices about 10c lower than yesterday morning, or about like the close of last night. The hogs were all sold before the close. A very choice load of butcher weights sold at \$4.57%, but the bulk sold at \$4.57%, but the bulk sold at \$1.50.

Sheep. There was only one load here, which sold readily at a good price. Receipts.

 Cattle
 350

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 2,800

 Sheep
 110

Representative Sales.

No.	Av.	Pr.
1 bull		\$1.68
1 cow		1.77
1 canner		1.77
O control	1000	1.90
2 cows		
9 cows		1.90
1 cow		2.00
4 cows		2.00
1 cow		2.00
8 bulls	1413	2.10
3 cows	1006	2.13
8 cows		2,25
8 cows		9.23
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18 cows		2.30
8 cows		2.30
40 cows		2.37
33 cows		2.35
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6 cows		2,40
6 cows		2.4
1 bull	1470	2.4
feeders	1005	2.60
7 feeders	1270	2 77
7 feeder	11:0	2.77
2 steers		2.85
16 feeders	1000	3.00
1 steer		3.00
1 cow		3.00
44 steers		3.10
11 steers		3.15
23 steers		
		3.20
15 steers		
8 steers	1180	3.25
8 steers		3.25
10 steers		3.45
15 steers		3.85
5 steers		3.50
77 steers		3.60
1 steer		3.60
85 steers		3.60
23 steers		3.65
2 steers	1300	3.75
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110 Nebraska natives...... 98 \$4.00 Highest and Lowest. Showing the highest and lowest prices paid for loads of hogs on this market during

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Prevailing Prices. The following is a table of prices paid a this market for the grades of stock meationed. Frume steers, 1300 to 1500 lbs. \$3.60 @4.10

Prime steers, 1100 to 1300 ibs., 8.10 Common to good cows. 1.50 (62.0)
Choice to fancy cows. 2.25 (62.85)
Fair to choice buils. 1.75 (62.95)
Fair to choice nearly hors. 4.50 (64.85)
Fair to choice neavy hors. 4.50 (64.85)
Fair to choice neavy hors. 4.50 (64.85)
Fair to choice mixed hogs. 4.45 (64.85)
Fair to choice western sheep. 3.75 (64.40)
Fair to choice Nebraskas. 3.50 (64.95)

Monthly Statement. The following are the official receipts and shipments of live stock during the mouth of January, 1889, and the number of head consumed at South Omaha:

RE	EIPTS.			
RAILROADS.	Cattle Head.	Hogs.	Sheep. Head.	Hor's&Mis
C. M. & St. P. R.y. C. B. & St. L. R.y. Mo. Pao. R.y. U. P. R.y. C. & N. W. R.y. B. & M. R.y. C. B. & O. R.y. C. R. I. & P. R.y. C. St. P. M. & O. R.y. Driven in	994 828 1,500 5,532 6,930 403 6,930 403 525 54,93 183	1,082 2,979 3,116 14,550 3,509 20,579 3,052 123 4,109 18,225 670	9,088 4,783 633	38
Grand total	25,567	73,794	16, 120	38
SHII	MENTS.			
RATEROADS	Cattle, Head,	Hors. Ucad.	Sheep. Head.	Hor's&Ml
C. M. & St. P. R. y. C. B. & St. L. U.y. Missogri Pacific. Union Pacific C. & N. W. B. & W. C. B. & Q. C. R. L. N. P. C. St. P. M. & O. F. E. & M. V. Total. Consumed in S. Omaha	800 400 811 613 1,859 147 2,468 988 188 188 188	1,250 3,284 350 74,374	510 2,776 112 6,851 5,184 1,824	26 27
Grand total	m	79,208	15,963	37

Live Stock Notes.

Cattle stronger. Sheep in demand.

About everything in the yards sold, Hors steady with restorday's close.

Not enough sheep and cattle to make a A meeting of the Live Stock Exchange is to be held on Monday to listen to a report of the committee on transportation. It is un-derstood that all the roads have made very satisfactory answers to the request that bet ter facilities be provided for stock coming here from lowa and have made arrangements for a meeting, also to be held on Monday, to consider the practicability of the scheme, The question of reducing the bridge tell from Council Bluffs over was brought up before the Union Pacific management, but without any success. They promised, how-ever, to furnish better service and to avoid the exasperating delays which have been so frequent of late.

EDUCATIONAL.

The class of '90 at Yale breaks the record of high standing. E. J. Phelps will resume his lectures on evidence before the Yale law school, which were broken off by his appointment as min-

ister to England. President Dwight, of Yale, says that the university needs \$200,000 endowment to pay the ordinary running expenses. He suggests that the sum be raised by every alumnus giving a small amount unconditionally.

Leander Burnett, an Indian of full blood, is teaching a public school with good success in Redmond, Emmet county, Mich. H is be-lieved to be the first Indian regularly employed as a teacher of white childen. The Clark university, at Worcester, Mass.

The Clark university, at Worcester, Mass., it is expected, will be opened to students next October. There will not be, at least for the present, any academic or ordinary collegiate course in the institution. The aim will be to meet the needs of graduates of other colleges who wish to pursue studies in special branches to the full extent of the world's attained knowledge. world's attained knowledge.

At a delegate convention neld at Cadillac, Mich., in the interests of higher education and representing twenty-four Michigan Con-gregational churches, it was decided to build a college somewhere in northern Michigan, and a committee of fifteen was empowered to select a location, file the necessary artiincorporation, and inaugurate the It is proposed to open the latter next September. Cadillac and Manistee will be the prominent competitors for the in-

Yale, Wesleyan, and Trinity are among the fourteen New England colleges which have formed a commission to secure uni-formity and elevate the standard in examinations for admission. The other colleges are Harvard, Amherst, Boston University, Bow-doin, Brown, Dartmouth, Colby, Smith, Tufts, Wellessey, and Williams. The value of the commission is seen in the advanced requirements in English literature, now practically uniform. Now the commission is considering the matter of securing greater proficiency in modern languages among candidates for admission to college.

A committee of the New York board of education, which was appointed to investigate the methods of the public schools of that city, has made a report in which it strongly condemns the marking and examination methods employed in the vain at-tempt to ascertain the true character of class room work. Such a system causes teachers to devote all their energies to preparations for the expected examination, dis regarding the real advancement of the children, and loading their memories with facts and figures to be drawn out at the proper moment by the looked-for question. The use of memory simply as on educational tool can never stimulate the mental powers. nor enable them to rise above the level of cut-and-dried uniformity.

THE REALTY MARKET.

Instruments Placed on Record During Yesterday.

W B Potter to T A Potter, n 15 of n 16 lots 13 and 14, blk "B," Prospect place, q Band 14, blk "E," Prospect place, q c d.

TA Potter to W B Potter, 8 % of n % lots 13 and 14, blk "E," Prospect place, q c d E E French and wife to C W Joy, lot 2, blk 4, Central park, w d.

E E French and wife to W H Austin, lot 6, blk 7, w d.

J B Crommet to M E Cheqister, lot 21, blk 3, Pruyu park, w d.

D C Patterson and wife to R M Patterson, und 4 lots 2, 4 8 and 8, blk 1, and lots 5 and 10, blk 2, Folsom blace, and w 197 ft of e lot 51, tt, lot 6, blk 7. Cote Brilliant, w d. 6,000

of e 15. ft, lot 6, bl k 7. Cote Brilliant, w d
O Lobert and wife to I T Bussler, lot 10, Bonte als sadd, w d
O Bill and wife to P Handschesh, e ½, nw and n ½ sw 21, 16, 11 e, w d
M F Sears, trustee, to E B Arnoid et ai, lots 5 to 12, blk 3, Belmont park, w d
M F Sears, trustee, to F D Wead, lots 2, 10 11 and 12, blk 1, Belmont park, w d
M F Sears trustee to E J Thompson, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, blk 2, Belmont park, w d
P Handschesh and wife to O Bill and wife, lot 21, blk "Q. Lowes 1st add, w d
H A Kosters and wife to E Stockdale, lot 13, blk 2, Kosters add, w d
J Vore and wife to C S Fletcher, lot 13, blk 2, South Omaha park, w d
I Van Camp to W B Wyman, lot 19, blk 1, Sunrise aid, w d
A Michaeler & M B Wyman, lot 19, blk 1, 6,400 1,800 Sunrise and, w d A Altendorif and wife to E Stange, 86% x 100 ft lot 35%, Millard & Caldwell's add,

J M Sneely and wife to A P Tukey, lot 25, blk I. Grammercy Park, w.d.

B Jetter and wife to TC Jeffries, lot 15, blk 3, Jetters add, w.d.

T C Jeffries to C C Norton, lot 14, blz 3, Jetter's add, w.d.

T C Jeffries to M Norton, lot 15, blk 3, Jetter's add, w.d.

J M Wilson and wife to W I. Monroe, lots 9 and 15, blk 22, letter's add, w.d.

C Johnson and wife to F and F P Eaton, w.s., n.s. lot 1, bls 8, Park Place, w.d.

N A Kuhn, frustee, to C L. Hochistetler, lot 21, blk 4, Creighton Heighis, w.d.

G G Wallace, trustee, to I H Coffman, lots 4 and 5, blk 1, Monmouth Park, w.d.

E Stange and wife to R Altendorff, Sox 100 ft lot 805, blk 1, Millard & Caldwell's add, w.d.

M P O Boaned to L Schroeder, trustee, all Brown Park, w.d.

M P O Boaned to S P Anderson, lot 22, blk 11, Brown Park, w.d.

H A Jensen et al to D M Gross, lots 14 and 15, Vinton Place, w.d.

J E Boyd and wife to M Murphy, lot 3, blk 5, Boyd & Sharp's add, w.d.

J A McShane to M Murphy, lot 5, blk 18, and lot 12, blk 19, West Side

W R Homan and wife to J F Pollock, lot 9, blk 3, Garthage, w.d.

P H Davis and wife to William Ashton, lots 10 and 11, Fairmont Place, w.d.

At the Welsh Presbyterian church, J M Sneely and wire to A P Tukey, lot 25,

2,35 At the Weish Presbyterian church, the services to morrow will be in English.
ject: "The Supreme Delty."

THE SPECULATIVE MARKETS.

Fluctuations In Wheat Within a Narrow Range.

DULLNESS THE FEATURE OF CORN

Oats Very Slow-The Provision Movement Exhibited Considerable Strength-A Light Down Turn In Cattle.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2 .- Special Telegram to THE BEE, |-This was a very dull day on 'change. Trade in wheat was light and more strictly local than it has been for a week. The situation has undergone no change recently, and the traders on both sides hold steadfastly to the position they have occupied since the beginning of the year. The speculative market has settled into a rut. It is waiting for something to turn up or to turn down. The fluctuations in prices to-day were compressed within a range of Mc, and no good excuse could be offered for extending action that far. The market opened just where it left off, viz., 975/069736c for May. For an hour or more the price ranged at 973g d 978gc, and then it moved up to 9sc, which point was touched twice within a period of a few minutes, a reaction of \$30% intervening. From 35c on the second little bulge, the market was sold off to 97 ge. This was followed by a raily to 97%c, a break to 97%c, a recovery to 97%c, and a condition approaching stagnation, around 97% @37%c. Trade got very dull and news had no effect whatever. Indeed, no news worthy the name came to the surface. May closed at 9734e and July at 88%c. The range on the latter month was \$8% oc 90c. Cables were unusually uninteresting. They quoted the for eign situation as quiet, with an undertone of mild weakness. The seaboard markets were absolutely featureless. The exporters at New York continue to time their songs to bear music, but they find little business to do in wheat and flour, and exports this week are rather larger than last. Fistimates of the decrease in the visible supply run all the way fron 600,000 to 1,100,000 bushels, the fig-ures depending on whether the Migneapolis millers have been grinding from public or private stores most generally. The primary points receipts are about 100,000 bushels greater than last week, and experts show up about 50,000 bushels better. The general milling consumptive demand has been rather larger than last week, and there is no reason for expecting figures greatly differing from last week. Locally, the day was everything the heart could wish in the way of winter weather. It was a bright, bracing, sunshiny day. This fact reminded some of the waggish bulls that it was "groundhog" day, and that, in accordance to the old superstition, that wise animal on seeing his shadow would go back into his hole and hibernate a couple of months. The discussion of this interesting weather prob-lem was about the only enlivening feature of the session. It engaged the attention of the greatest minds. Hutchinson's dealings, al-though not large, made him a most potent factor. He offered more wheat on the ral-lies than the crowd wanted, and on the declines he seemed disposed to press his advantage but not to press his advantage, but not viciously. On the breaks Schwartz & Dupec were the largest buyers, and Fair-

bank's brokers picked up a little.
Dullness was the principal feature of today's corn market, and after some display of strength in near futures at the opening, they lapsed into dullness and lower prices. The foreign markets were firm and the export demand unabated. February was within 1/80 and March from 1/60 to 10 of May at one time. The export clearances continue to give sub-stantial evidence of the requirements of the foreign countries, and if more freight room foreign countries, and if more freight room could be had at the present rates there would be even more business done. The export clearances for the week, including New Orleans, is close upon 2,000,000 busilels, at which rate, continued for the balance of the season, it would have some influence, even on a crop as large as the present one. The receipts to day were 11 cars over yesterday's estimate, but only the usual target in the season. only the usual 1 car in about 45 was No. 2. Inanimation, dullness and weakness were the uninteresting features of the latter half of the session. There was some guessing on the probable figures of the visible supply, the general expectation being for some slight decrease, but the quantity was not expressed in figures. The opening flurry among the shorts in February and March gave place to a desire among the longs to unload, which made the closing weak and from 3cc to 3cc.

lower than yesterday's final figures.
The trade in outs was one of the dullest The trade in oats was one of the dullest for many weeks. The receipts were fair, and there was about the usual trade in free-on-board lots, while the aggregate business in futures was decidedly small, unimportant and featureless. The feeling was steady, with mild inquiry for May at 27%c. After some business at 27%@27%c, together with June at 1%c discount and near months dull and quotably steady, No. 2 oats to go to store sold fairly at 25%c.

In provisions the movement exhibited considerable strength. The monthly stock

siderable strength. The monthly stock showing was about as large as the trade exnected, and as the advices from the stock yards were bearish, the situation, if any thing, was favorable to the buying interest. Still the market was well supported. The shorts showed more or less disposition to cover, and better prices than at yesterday's close were realized. In lard the advance established amounted in fact to 2)4@7)4c, and in short ribs 5@10c.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, Feb. 2 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. [-CATTLE - To-day's trade was slow and prices weak, with a slight downturn all around. There were but few if any shipping orders, and the dressed beef people were nolding back for Monday's run, calculating that the shower of telegrams that went out on Thursday and Friday will set in motion a big run for Monday and the fore part of next week. Choice beeves, nominal at \$4.35@4.75; medium to good steers, 1350 to 1500 lbs, \$8.70@4.30; 1200 to 1350 lbs, \$8.35@ 4.00: 950 to 1200 lbs, \$2.90@3.40; stockers and feeders, \$2.00@3.40; cows, buils and mixed, \$2.50@3.00; bulk, \$2.20@2.40; Texas steers, \$3.50@3.50; cows, \$2.00@2.25. Hoos—To-day there was an old-time panic

as it were, values going down with a rush or nedium and big heavy, the decline at one time rating a strong 10c on everything but light light. The curiosity to the trade this morning was that wherein extremely heavy, say 400-ib, averages and upwards, would no sell for over \$4.70, light-light of 100 to 120-tb. averages sold at \$5.10(a5.20. These big, heavy grades were harder to sell to-day than at any day this week. The bulk of the mixed sold at \$4.65@4.70, and heavy at \$4.70 Some rough packers sold as low as \$4.40@4.60.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.- Special Telegram to THE BEE. !- STOCKS-The foreign buying was again a feature of the stock market this morning. London prices came strong and fractionally higher, and the market opened with considerable activity, first prices showing gains of 1/2 to 1/2 per cent. The advance, however, induced free realizing sales by the traders, and a slight reaction followed. The commission houses were good buyers of the general list. The feeling is quite bullish, and predictions were freely made that the market will continue to broaden and that the forthcoming week will witness more activity than has been seen in many months. Western Union is in a very prosperous condition, and a return to a 6 per cent dividend basis is certain to take place within a short time. The movement in Reading stock and bonds fully substantiates what the friends of the company claimed. The talk from Philadelphia is particularly encouraging. The same people who have been picking up Reading have been buying Northern Pacific stock. The insiders are buying Union Pacific on all weak spots, and say that the company was never in a better condition, and that it has enough money in its treasury to make a

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handsome division among the stockholders. After II o'clock the market became less active and the tone became easier. No special feature marked the dealings for the remainder of the day, and the market finally closed at about the opening figures. The total sales for the day amounted to 170,000 shares, including Reading, 9,500; Lake Shore, 10,000; Northern Pacific preferred, 4,000; Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati & Indianapolis, 5,000; Lackawanna, 7,500; Union Pacific, 6,500; Northwestern, 6,000; St. Paul, 5,000; New England, 0,500,

and Richmond Terminal, 4,000, The following were the closing quotations The following were the closing quotations:
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Money on Call-Easy at 2 per cent PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER-1/26 per cent. STERLING EXCHANGE - Steady; demand, \$4.88%; sixty-day bills \$4.86%.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.-Wheat-Steady; cash, 94c; May 97/5c. Corn—Easy; cash, 35%c; March, 35 11-16c; Oats-Steady; cash, 251/c; March, 26c;

May, 2734c.
Rye—47c.
Barley—Nothing doing.
Prime Timothy—\$1.50. Flax-\$1.60.

Fiax = \$1.03. Whisky = \$1.03. Pork = Steady; eash, \$11.37%; March, \$11.47 ; May, \$11.67 ; Lard Steady; cash, \$6.90; March, \$6.92 ; May, \$6.97.

May, \$6.97.
Flour—Quiet and unchanged.
Bulk Meats—Shoulders, \$6.00@6.12½; short clear, \$6.37 (@6.50; short ribs, \$6.05@6.10,
Butter—Scarce; creamery, 18@27c; dalry,

Cheese-Steady; full cream cheddars, 10% @11c; flats, 11@111/c; Young Americas, 11 4/a 12 4/c, Ergs - Easier; fresh, 13(a14c.

Hides — Unchanged; neavy and light green salted, 5c; green, 4c; salted bull, 4\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; green bull, 3\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; green salted calf, 6\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; green salted kip, 4c; dry flint, 7\(\frac{1}{2}\)solved bull, 4\(\frac{1}{2}\)c; green salted kip, 4c; dry calf, 7\(\frac{1}{2}\)solved bull, bides, 15 per ent off; deacons, 25@30c each; dry salted,

Tallow-Steady; No. 1, solid, 4%c; No. 2, 4@414c; cake, 5c.

Receipts. Shipments.

No. 3 red, 87c; options dull, lower and weak; February closing at 93c. Corn—Receipts, 44,900; exports, 155,799;

spot quiet but firm, and \$10% c higher; No. 2, 44% 645c in elevator, 45% 645% affoat; No. 2, white, 41% 645c; ungraded mixed, 40@45c; Oats-Receipts, 39,000; exports, none; spot

Oats—Receipts, 33,000; exports, none; spot more active and \(\frac{1}{4}\)\empty higher; options dull but steady; February, \(31\)\empty_6; March, \(32\)\empty_6; mixed western, \(29\)\empty_32c.

Coffee—Options opened steady and closed steady at 5 points below yesterday; sales, \(19,000\)\empty_6 bags; February, \(\frac{8}{15}\)\empty_6 \(615.65\); March, \(\frac{8}{15}\)\empty_6 \(615.65\); May, \(\frac{8}{15}\)\empty_6 \(615.65\); spot Rio barely steady; fair cargoes, \(\frac{8}{17}\).00\(\frac{1}{2}\).

Petroleum—Steady and quiet; United closed at \(\frac{85}{2}\)\empty_6. closed at 85%c. Eggs—Steady; western, 151/@15%c.

Pork-Steady; new, \$13.00@13.25. Lard-Stronger and quiet; western steam, 7.35; February, \$7.26. Butter—Firm; western dairy, 13@290; creamery, 16@28c; Elgins, 29c. Cheese—Steady; western, 104@114c.

Kansas City, Feb. 2.—Wheat—Lower; No. 2 red, cash, 88c bid; May, 92½; No. 2, soft, cash, 88½; asked; May, 92 asked. Corn—Quiet; No. 2, cash, 26c asked; May, 27½; bid; No. 2, white, May, 29½; bid. Oats—No. 2, cash, 22c asked; May, 24c

asked.

Liverpool, Feb. 2.—[Special Cablegram to The Bee.]—2:00 p. m. close.—Pork—Holders offer freely; prime mess, eastern, 70s, easy; do, western, 60s easy.

Lard—Holders offer spot freely and futures moderately; spot and February, 36s 3d, steady; March and April, 36s 6d, steady.

Wheat—Holders offer sparingly; new, No. 2, winter, 7s 7d, steady; do spring, 7s, 9d. 2, winter, 7s 7d, steady; do spring, 7s 9d, steady. Flour-Holders offer moderately at 11s 3d,

steady.
Corn-Holders offer moderately; spot, 4s 11/d, firm; February, 4s 11/d, firm; March and April, 4s 3/d, steady.

St. Louis, Feb. 2.—Wheat—higher; cash, 114; May. 9314@94-3-8.

Corn—steady; cash, 2954; May, 33-3-8.

Oats—steady; cash, 25; May, 28.

Pork—dull, \$11.8754@12.00. Dard | dull, \$6.75. Whisky, steady, \$1.03. Butter—firm for better grades; creamery,

24@36; dairy, 20@27. Cincinnati, Feb. 2.—Wheat — quiet, firm; No. 2 red, 98c.
Corn—steady; No. 2 mixed, 34@35c.
Oats—steady; No. 2 mixed, 28c.
Whisky, firm, \$1.03.

Minneapolis, Feb. 2.—Wheat —Sample wheat active and higher. Receipts, 123 cars: shipments, 74 cars. Closing. No. 1 hard, February, \$1.14; May, \$1.17\footnote{1}, track, \$1.16; No. 1 northern, February, \$1.01; May, \$1.103 1-8; track, \$1.03\tilde{0}1.04; No. 2 northern, February, 91c; May, track 93\footnote{1}\footnote{1}c.

Milwaukee, Feb. 2.—Wheat — Dull; cash' 88½c; May, 91½; Corn—Dull; No. 3, 59c. Oats—Quiet; No. 2 white, 28c. Rye—Quiet; No. 1, 46¾c. Barley—Depressed; No. 2, 61c. Provisions—Steady: oark \$11.35

Provisions-Steady; pork, \$11.35.

LIVE STOCK 40 Chicago, Feb. 2-I'ne Drovers' Jour-

nal reports as follows:
Cattle — Receipts, 2,000; market steady; choice beeves, \$4.3.661.75; steers, \$2.90.64.30; stockers and feeders, \$2.00.63.40; cows, bulls and mixed, \$1.50.63.00; Texas cattle, \$2.00 (43.50. Hogs—Receipts, 175,000; market 5/0/10c lower; mixed, \$4.65/0/4.85; heavy, \$4.60/0/4.80;

light, \$4.70@5.00; pigs, \$4.00@5.10. Sheep—receipts 1,500; market steady; natives, \$3.75@5.10; westerns, corn-fed, \$4.20 @4 70; Texans, \$3.50@4.50; lambs, \$4.50@6.25. Kansas City, Feb 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,000; shipments, 1,000; market opened firm on dressed beef and shipping steers, but weakened and declined, 5@10c lower; choice cows firm; good to choice corn-fed. \$4.05@ 4.25; common to medium, \$3.10@3.85;

ers and feeding steers, \$1.00@3.25; cows, \$1.25002.80. Hogs—Receipts, 6.100; shipments, 860; market weak at 10@15c lower; common to choice, \$3.25.64.50.

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National Stock Yards, East St.
Louis, Feb. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 200;
shipments, 700; market steady, choice heavy
native steers, \$3.00@3.80; butchers' steers,
medium to choice, \$2.60@3.20; stockers and
feeders, \$1.90@2.70; rangers, corn-led, \$3.00
@3.70; grass-fed, \$1.70@2.80.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,200; shipments, 1,300;
market easy; choice heavy and butchers'
selections, \$4.70@4.80; packing, \$4.60@4.75;
light grades, \$4.70@4.85.

Sioux City, Feb. 2.—Cattle—Receipts

Sioux City, Feb. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 125; shipments, 100; steady and unchanged. Hogs—Receipts, 1,100; market 10:£15c lower; light and mixed, \$4:400@4.50; heavy,

\$4.50@5.50.

Seven Deaths Caused By One Murder. Boone Marlow, who murdered Sheriff Wallace, of Young county, Texas, December 18 last, was killed last Thursday in the Indian territory by Martin Beavers and John Derrickson. They trailed him to his hiding place and, when he refused to throw up his hands, they fired at him. The reward of \$2,500 offered by the citizens of Young county was at once paid to Beavers and Der-rickson. It was the escape of Boone Marlow that incensed the citizen mob to attack the jail in which his four brothers were held as accessories to the murder of Sheriff Wallace. This is the seventh death resulting from murder, while three men are seriously

WEERLY BUSINESS REVIEW.

The Demand For Money Has Not Increased

AND BANKS ARE COMPLAINING.

Money Easier Than at Any Corresponding Time in the Past Two Years - The Produce Markets Duller.

Condition of the Country.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2 .- [Special Telegram to THE BEE. |- The demand for money has not improved since the close of the preceding week, and the banks are more than usually inclined to complain at the inadequacy of the demand, compared to the funds available for discounting paper. In fact money is easier than at any corresponding time in the past two years, and those who want loans on strictly giit-edged names or collateral are readily supplied with funds at 5606 per cent, the bulk of the large loans being at 5 per cent, and very few pay above 5% per cent. Miscellaneous borrowers on mixed collaterals and business names pay 6623 per cent, the latter being for small amounts. There are few new enterprises to stimulate the demand for money, absorption in railway building, the prime factor at this date in the three preceding years, being entirely absent now. There is also less than the customary midwinter employment of funds in pork packing and in carrying wheat. The open character of the winter has, up to this time, enabled merchants to collect up much closer than usual, hence they want less than the average amount of assistance from their bankers. The only source from which there is more than the customary call for money is for carrying corn in the country. The current low prices here and at other points make it more profitable for country dealers to sell where storage practically costs noth ing. Money at eastern financial enters continues to accumulate, and discount rates favor borrowers. In London

for May delivery and hold the corn at home, rates on the open market on stock collaterals are easy at 11/2022 per cent. The decline in the open market has induced the Bank of the open market has induced the Bank of England to again reduce its discount rate to 3 per cent. The market for New York ex-change was dull and destitute of new or in-teresting features, and the rates remained steady at par to 25c premium per \$1,000. A steady feeling prevailed in the market for foreign exchange. The offerings of bills in this market were not large, but in New York the increase was noted, and although the the increase was noted, and although the market remained steady the greater part of the week, the close was easy and a shade below the opening figures. The sales of documentary sterling bills on London ranged at \$4.84% (0.4.85), closing at the inside. The trading in stocks in Wall street the past week was unsettled, periods of dullaces being followed by spasms of activity. The aggregate volume of business, however, was larger than for the preceding week. The feeling regarding western stocks was unset-tled and the course of the market depended almost entirely upon the news from Chicago, where the presidents, or rather the repre-sentatives, were in session most of the week, trying to formulate and to adopt an agree ment to maintain rates. The operators, how ever, did not take kindly to western securi ties, and they were rather neglected. Atchison was the center of the western group. The statement of the whole system for 1888 showed a deficit of \$2,709,000. Had no dividends been paid the deficit would have been only \$184,000. Although the statement had in a measure already been discounted, the free selling orders from Boston produced a weak feeling and a decline of two points. The free selling created a heavy short interest, which alone aggregated 50,000 shares. A decrease in the offerings later, and a disposition on the part of the shorts to cover, checked the downward movement, and a rally of 4% points followed. The changes in the other western stocks were confined to a small range. Cotton Oils received a moderate setback by the New Orleans decision declaring combinations illegal, but the price held up well and recorded moderate advances. Substantial dividend stock, like Lackawanna Delaware & Hudson, Pullman and others received more attention. from the moderate number of investment buyers in market. Delaware & Hudson increased its dividend i per cent. Pullman purchased liberally, and advanced about six points, touching 99, but the fair realizing caused a moderate reaction. Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati & Indian-apolis came to the front and advanced 6 points. Bonds were active, investors giving them more attention than stocks. A firm feeling prevailed and prices advanced moderately. Taking the week on the whole, it was more favorable to the "buils," but the latter, as a rule, are still timid. The aggregate transactions on the New York stock exchange for the week were 1,415,000 shares.

Not as much life was witnessed in the leading produce markets during the past week as during the previous three or four weeks, and the feeling was somewhat un-sottled, and prices fluctuated considerably. The trading was credited mainly to the local operators, orders from outside parties being limited, and chiefly from operators in trad-

1 10 BY MAIL ing centers. The speculators apparently, were accepting small profits on losses, and the bulk of the business was in moderate quantities. The supplies of grain are gradually decreasing, and the deliveries from first hands are somewhat limited. Considerable grain has been distributed through the eastrn states, but the export movement was light, excepting of corn. In provisions, there was a moderate shipping demand, and the supply is gradually enlarging, though the export movement is well maintained. The weather continues moderate for the season of the year, but no damage of importance to the crops was reported. In speculative circles neither the long nor the short interest appeared to gain any particular advantage. Among shippers s fair business was reported, but as a rule the orders were for small quantities. The movement of live stock to the principal mar-kets shows little improvement, thought the prices have favored buyers. The packing of the west showed a decrease of 30,000 hogs during the week, and the decrease for the season, so far, is reported at about 660,000 hogs in number, but the increase in weight will partly offset this defluency.

RELIGIOUS.

St. Louis has twenty-two Methodist Epis cepal churches, worth \$288,600. All world conference of Mormons is to be held at Salt Lake City in April. The saints sniff a crisis. The first branch of the "King's Daugh-

Dr. Parker, of the City Temple, London, goes the Salvation army one better, so to speak. He announces a series of religious services where smoking will be allowed. The receipts of the Congregational union

ters" to be started in Wyoming is now or ganizing in Cheyenne.

the last year were \$134,725, an increase of \$7,500 over last year. Forty-one pasonages and 104 churches were added in the last twelve months.

The Rev. Antony Swensson, of Detroit, is the first Swede to become a Roman Catholic priest since the Reformation. Out of a population of 6,000,000 Sweden has only 2,000 Ro-The Catholic church in the United States has 13 archbishops, 71 bishops, 7,976 priests, 1,411 seminarians, 7,424 churches, 3,133 chapels and stations, 27 seminaries, 97 col-leges, 546 academies, 3,024 parochial schools,

555,965 pupils in parochia: schools, 519 char-itable institutions, and a Catholic population of. 7,855,294. A novel Sunday school has been organized by the telegraph operators of the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railroad. Every Sunday morning the school is called to order by the superintendent, Operator Bramblet, who telegraphs his order from Wartrace, Tong. After prayer and the reading of a chapter from the Bible, all of which is done

over the wire, questions are asked the class by Mr. Bramblet, and the first man to answer captures the circuit. Mrs. Trover's Cats.

Mrs. Jane Trover, of Chicago, who is long past middle life, lives in a west side flat-house with a great colony of cats. Her rooms swarm with them and they are the terror of the neighborhood, I particularly of Mr. Sindler. Sindler lives in the same house, and was annoyed by the nightly howling of the cats, and the other night he got up and killed one with a boot-jack. In revenge Mrs. Trover piled all her pots and kettles on the stairway, and when sindler come home that right he fell and the cats. came home that night he fell over them. Then he had her arrested, and to-day Justice White put her under onnes to keep the peace and suppress the cat nuisance.

You take cold very easy, do you not? Your nose stops up, and you have a watery discharge from it. Your threat fills with phlegm, and you are continually hemining and sufffing, sometimes the discharge is thick and yetlow, and you teel a falness over the bridge of the mose. Why is it? Simply this, That you have a chronic inflammation of the liming of the nose and throat; every change of temperature, either makes it feel better when it is warm, or worse when it is cold. After a cold the membrane is left congested. It doesn't get entirely well, and a fresh cold is therefore easier to take. A mucous membrane, when inflamed, always secretes more than or much and more blood rushes to the part, which swells the parts, and in the nostrils, closes then up more closely.

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To cure catarrh, necessarily requires treat-

closes them up more closely.

CAN IT HE CURED AND HOW?

To cure catarrh, necessarily requires treatment, It wont get well of itself. The treatment must be judicious, not haphazard. It is often relieved by many of the patent preparations on the market, but only temporarily. They do not remove the deep seated conditions, but only lessen the discharge, and fresh cold is just as easy to take as before. Now isn't it unwher to dilly daily with these nostrams? Isn't it a better plan to put your case in the hands of a physician, who understants it and cures it? Isn't it cheaper in the end? We assure you a good treatment, treatment that is directed to your individual case no matter how severe it is. We charge but little for what we do, less than the general run of physicians. Our reliability in treating Catarrh, Asthma, Bronchitis etc. is imaguestioned.

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